MR. GAGE'S GIFT.

Buys the Property at Fourth and Jackson Streets.

Presents It to Topeka Provident

PLEASED WITH WORK.

Association.

thing to charity shall understand the scope and purpose of your work. "Very truly yours, "NORRIS L. GAGE.

"Ashtabula, O., Feb. 18, 1905."
Immediately upon the receipt of Mr.
Gage's gift, the board of directors of the
association met and drafter the following resolution of thanks:

"Whereas, Mr. Norris L. Gage, a former resident of this city and now of Ashtabuta, Ohio, has purchased, for the sum of \$5,000, the premises at the corner of Fourth and Jackson streets, which has been occupied for two years last past by the Provident Association as headquarters in its charity work, and has conveyed it as a free gift to this association.

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E. Thorpe, Mrs. G. A. Huron, Thomas
Page, O. S. Morrow, F. F. Mallery, J.
E. Nissley, and W. M. Forbes, constituting the board of directors of the
Topeka Provident association.
"During my recent visit to Topeka I
carefully investigated the work of your
association locuted at the northwest
corner of Jackson and Fourth streets
and found that the purpose of the same
is to see that deserving need of whatever kind is promptly and properly ever kind is promptly and properly relieved; to prevent begging and im-position; to encourage thrift, self-dependence and industry; to elevate the home life, health and habits of the poor; to prevent children growing up paupers and to enlist in this charitable work as many volunteers as possible.

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"The plan of your association is combing into general use in other cities and all authorities agree, while there may be special charity institutions worthy of support, that for general charity purposes, the plan you have adopted is the surest vehicle for securing the best resurest vehicle for securing the best resuits with the least cost both for relleving the destitute, for preventing
poverty and also for crushing out that
hateful class of frauds, grafts and
parasites which makes it a business to
live on the thrift, the economy and the
mistaken generosity of the public, a
public which has no time or means of
investigating the merits of claimants.

"Appreciating the value to your association of having s permanent headquarters free from rent and taxation, I
have purchased the premises above
designated, consisting of a large brick
building and two lots, at a personal expense of six thousand dollars, and herewith inclose a deed of the same to your
board and to your successors to be held sures which he least cost both for rematter with the least cost both for rematter of the cost for the rematter of the cost for the rematter of the command the
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Mr. Gilbert McClurg Tells of Its Advancement.

Makes Public Acknowledgment of His Interest.

Donor Is a Resident of Ashtabula, Ohio.

Norris L. Gage dorsed by the governor. For three pears Mr. McClurg was director of the tarrh of the nose, throat, lungs and National Irrigation congress and he stomach. 725 Kansas avenue.

National Irrigation congress and he illustrated and forcibly described new results as to agriculture under irrigation.

"Colorado is generally looked upon as a mining state and some years ago wrested right to the title of "Golden State" from California. Colorado's production from mines last year was valued at fifty million dollars. But from field and farm in 1904 Colorado's yield greatly exceeded that from her mines and amounted to seventy millions of dollars."

Stomach. 725 Kansas avenue.

We have everything in the fancy and staple grocery line that will please you, and would appreciate a portion of your busines. We also have one of the most complete meat markets in the city, and carry everything that you may want. Warner's grocery and meat market, 1901 Kansas avenue.

The "Millennial Dawn" Bible study of Evangelist Geo, Draper will be held at 117 West Sixth street instead of Lineoln Post hall on Friday, February 1901.

Distinguished Educator Undertakes

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states. There is no danger of over-production; that buraboo has been dispelled."

Mr. McClurg concluded by giving Colorado's rank in the union, which has been achieved practically within the last 25 years. He said: "Colorado ranks eighth in our union as to agriculture: sixth as to live stock; fifth as to coal, from and building stone; first as to production of gold and silver; first as to the area of irrigated land; first as to quality of wheat, rye, oats, barlef, sugar beets, potatoes, appies, melons, grasses and honey; unsurpassed as to sublimity of scenery; and, best of all, first in all this union as to climate and for health."

"When I enumerated the rank of my state in the union recently at Toledo Mr. McClurg said: The Toledo Biade next morning remarked that I made the absent unioded Buckeyes step to count their presidents in order to maintain Ohlo's long-boasted supremacy."

You don't have to wait. We have in men's, women's and children's shoes are one sale for 40c, 50c and 60c on the dollar, at The Fitwell Shoe ce & Fuel Co.

Washington's Birthday Is Not Observed by Legislators.

Mr. Hackney Does a Little Slashing, However.

CUTS APPROPRIATIONS



Governor Hoch let the race microbe crawl across his desk and escape. He had two kinds of dope to put on the bill, but he failed to use either. One was soothing oil furnished by the whites, and the other a tincture of carbolic acid furnished by the negroes. It was real mean of the legislature to check it up to the governor. He has troubles enough, without



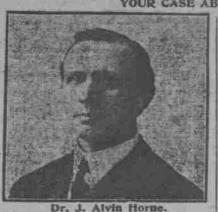
Governor Hoch and the Race Microbe. making him drink that concoction. It was not good for him. There were three choices: sign it, veto it, and let it pass. If he signed it he might lose negro votes the next time he wanted something. If he vetoed it it was a cinch that he would loose many of the white votes in Wyandotte county. If he let it pass the people would mark him for a weak sister with chilled fect. He chose the lesser of three cevils.

Some time in the dim, dusty past Balie Waggener was burgled. It is evident that he was burgled while sleeping in a freight car, and now, "R-r-r-re-venge-ah." Not, perhaps, on the burglar who burgled the noted statesman, but on all members of the fraternity.

Burglars, if you must crack something, crack a bank. Monkey not with the side-door Pullman. Never steal hay from a stock car, or wheat from a coal car, it is unlucky, for Waggener of Atchison is after you.

sale, 509 Kansas avenue.

of your case is given by Drs. Horne & Cookinham. CONSULT THESE EMINENT PHYSICIANS AND SPECIALISTS AT ONCE, AND RECEIVE THEIR CANDID OPINION OF YOUR CASE ABSOLUTELY FREE.



Under no circumstances will these specialists take cases for treatment and hold out hopes to the afflicted unless they are absolutely sure that their modern methods will effect satisfactory results. It is by fair and honest methods alone that they have built up their very large practice, and the thousands of patients whom they have cured are not lacking in their appreciation for what they have done for them, but are constantly recommending them to others. If you are an afflicted man and have failed to find a competent specialist who can give you relief you should consult Drs. Horne & Cookinham TODAY. If they can cure you have will tell you so, and will give you a written guarantee to that effect. If they can not they will not take your case for treatment.

They Cure to Stay Cured - Stricture, Varicocele, Contagious Blood Poison, Hydrocele, Nervous Debility, Epilepsy, Piles, Cancer and Tumors, and all Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Prostate Gland, also Diseases of Women.

CURED OF CANCER AFTER SIX PHYSICIANS HAD FAILED. I suffered for years with cancer on the side of my nose. Had it burned out, cut out, and in fact, operated on four different times. In the summer of 1903 it grew rapidly worse. I heard of the treatment used by Dr. Cookinham through a friend who had been cured. I visited him and took the treatment. In eight days the cancer came out completely, and I know I am cured. There is scarcely any scar left. I can not say enough for Dr. Cookinham. This is no take. I will gladly answer all questions in reference to his treatment of me.

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You can call and be examined, and they can tell you just what has to be done TO CURE YOU. BE SURE YOU GO TO THE RIGHT PLACE.

Consultation and X-ray examination absolutely free.

Doctors Horne & Cookinham,

Kansas shall be liable for all damages done to any employe of said company in consequence of any negligence of its agents, or by any mismanagement of his agents, or by any mismanagement of his engineers or other employes, to any person sustaining such damage: provided, that notice in writing of the injury so sustained, stating the time and place thereof, shall have been given by or on behalf of the person injured to such rallroad company within eight months after the occurrence of the injury; and provided further, that where any person injured is in the hospital of or under charge of the rallroad company causing the injury, or is prevented by effects of said injury. The said eight months shall not begin to run until such injured person is discharged from said hospital or care of said railroad company."

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that the notice must be given in 60 days.
The senate changed it to eight months.
Senator Getty amended the bill to specify
that when the notice of injury is given
that the injured party need not state
whether suit for damages will be brought,
and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Young thought that the notice
of injury was something of a loophois and
said in many cases it might be impossible
to state the injury in eight months.

"Two years ago," said Senator Getty,
"the legislature in its folly or wisdom, at
the distation of railroad autorneys, changed our laws so as to make it as difficult
as possible for railroad employes to sue
for damages. If we don't pass this bill a
howl will go up. If we can't pass a better
bill let's pass this."

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Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 22.—The house today passed by a vote of 120 to 1 what is known as the Silver bill, which provides that witnesses in bribery trials shall be immune from punishment. The bill was the subject of a special message from Governor Folk and a similar measure was defeated in the senate. Governor Folk will, it is said, bring pressure to bear in an endeavor to pass the Silver bill in the upper house.

One More Boiter.

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Signers to the pection in aid of council for call an election in aid of the Council Grove road are meeting with success. They report that nine out of every ten taxpayers sign the petition presented. It is a great task to canvass the city for a thing of this various places for signatures. Among other places petitions will be found at the office of the council Grove road are meeting with success. They report that nine out of every ten taxpayers sign the petition presented. It is a great task to canvass the city for a thing of this various places for signatures. Among other places petitions will be found at the office of the council Grove road are meeting with success. They report that nine out of every ten taxpayers sign the petition presented. It is a great task to canvass the city for a thing of this various places for signatures. Among other places petitions and as people go to register they are asked to sign the rection in aid of the Council Grove road are meeting with success. They report that nine out of every ten taxpayers sign the petition presented. It is a great task to canvass the city for a thing of the council Grove road are meeting with success. They report that nine out of every ten taxpayers sign the petition presented. It is a great task to canvass the city for a thing of the council Grove road are meeting with success. They report that nine the council grove per the council g

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 22.—There was one more defection from Thomas K. Niedringhaus, the Republican caucus nominee, today when the roll was called for the twenty-ninth ballot for the twenty-ninth Representative senator. Representative william Moneyhan joined the ranks of the bolters by casting his vote for Lieutenant Governor McKinley. The ballot resulted: Cockrell, 73: Niedringhaus, 64; Kerens, 12; McKinley, 5; Pettijohn, 1; Ossenfort, 1.

Great Fire, Smoke and Water Sale at The Fitwell Shoe Co., 509 Kan, ave, 40c, 50c and 60c on the dollar is the price on our entire stock of high grade Shoes, Slippers, Overshoes, Rubber Boots, Felt Boots, etc., for men, wo-men and children. Don't miss this

infants'. Children's, Boy's and Girl's shoes at 40c, 50c and 60c on the dollar at The Fitwell Shoe Co.'s Great Smoke, Water and Fire sale, 500 Kan, ave.

For Council Grove Road. The parties canvassing the city for signers to the petitions asking the council to call an election in aid of nsking the

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 22.—South-ern Pacific passenger train No. 9, known as the Sunset limited, from New Orleans for San Francisco was derailed today near Sandy Fork, Texas, Five cars are reported to be in the ditch. A tramp was killed and several pas-

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Chat H. Wither.